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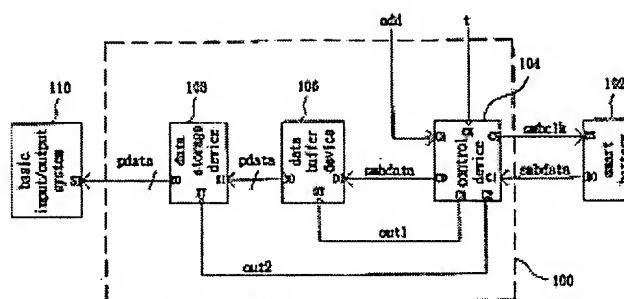
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An apparatus for reading the charge of smart battery comprises: a read-control circuit coupled to a smart battery, for outputting power a reference clock signal, a first clock signal and a second clock signal, respectively, in accordance with an input clock signal, and for serially reading data of remaining charge and outputting such data therefrom; a data-buffering circuit coupled to the read-control circuit, for serially reading data of remaining charge and outputting such data therefrom; a data-storage circuit coupled to the data-buffering circuit, for storing data of remaining charge and parallel outputting such data in parallel according to the second clock signal.



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Abstract	A battery capacity predicting method for predicting the remaining capacity of a battery unit comprising a plurality of battery cells connected in series in an apparatus which uses the battery unit, which is characterized in that the battery capacity predicting method comprises the steps of: (a) comparing output voltages of each of the battery cells (E1-E3); and (b) predicting the remaining capacity of the battery unit (1) based on at least one of a minimum voltage and a maximum voltage out of the compared output voltages of the battery cells.						